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CHAPTER 112

An Act to amend The Jurors Act

*Assented to June 30th, 1972
Session Prorogued December 15th, 1972*

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts as follows:

1. Clause *e* of section 1 of *The Jurors Act*, being chapter 230 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1970, is amended by striking out "a coroner" in the first line. s. 1 (e),
amended

2. Section 2 of the said Act, as amended by the Statutes of Ontario, 1971, chapter 98, section 4, is repealed and the following substituted therefor: s. 2,
re-enacted

2. Subject to section 44, and unless exempted or disqualified, every person in the possession of his or her natural faculties and not infirm or decrepit, who is resident in a county or district and whose name is entered on the last revised polling list prepared under *The Municipal Elections Act, 1972* of electors for the election of members of the council of a municipality in the county or district or of a school board in territory without municipal organization, is qualified and liable to serve as a juror on grand and petit juries in the Supreme Court and in all courts of civil or criminal jurisdiction in the county or district. Eligible
jurors

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3. Section 4 of the said Act is repealed. s. 4,
repealed

4.—(1) Subsection 7 of section 44 of the said Act is repealed. s. 44 (7),
repealed

(2) Subsection 8 of the said section 44 is amended by striking out "voters' list" in the third line and inserting in lieu thereof "polling list". s. 44 (8),
amended

5. Subsection 1 of section 46 of the said Act is amended by inserting after "district" in the fourth line "and lock-ups established for the county or district". s. 46 (1),
amended

ss. 51a, 51b,
enacted

6. The said Act is amended by adding thereto the following sections:

Division of
Supreme
Court panel

51a. Where a judge of the Supreme Court considers it necessary, he may direct that the petit jurors summoned for a sitting of the Supreme Court be divided into two or more sets as he may direct, and each set shall for all purposes be deemed a separate panel.

Division of
county court
panel

51b. Where the judge of a county court considers it necessary, he may direct that the petit jurors summoned for jury sittings of the county court or the court of general sessions of the peace, or both, be divided into two or more sets as he may direct, and each set shall for all purposes be deemed a separate panel.

s. 90 (1),
amended

7.—(1) Subsection 1 of section 90 of the said Act is amended by striking out "or coroner" in the third line and by striking out "coroner" in the fifth line.

s. 90 (2),
amended

(2) Subsection 2 of the said section 90 is amended by striking out "coroner" in the first line.

Commence-
ment

8.—(1) This Act, except sections 1 and 7, comes into force on the day it receives Royal Assent.

Idem

(2) Sections 1 and 7 come into force on a day to be named by the Lieutenant Governor by his proclamation.

Short title

9. This Act may be cited as *The Jurors Amendment Act, 1972*.